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1641**U.S. Patent Documents**

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GC	AA	5,597,532	01/28/97	Connolly	422	58	10/20/94
GC	AB	5,962,333	10/05/99	Incorvia et al.	436	169	01/23/97

Foreign Patent Documents or Published Foreign Patent Applications

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GC	AC	"Is he using drugs?" ACON Product brochure, 2003
GC	AD	"One step drug-of-abuse test," InTec Products, Inc. Product brochure, 2002
GC	AE	ACON OEM Product brochure, August 2000
GC	AF	ACON magazine advertisement, IVD Technology Magazine, p.45 Nov/Dec, 1999
GC	AG	ACON magazine advertisement, IVD Technology Magazine, p.17 Mar/Apr, 2000
GC	AH	ACON magazine advertisement, LabMedica Magazine, Jul/Aug p.14; Sept/Oct p.9; Nov/Dec p.23; 1999

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GC	D	D	3	6	1	8	4	2	08/29/95	Nazareth <i>et al.</i>	D24	225	05/23/94
GC	E	D	3	6	6	9	3	8	02/06/96	Shartle <i>et al.</i>	D24	224	09/02/94
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	AK	4	3	3	8	0	9	4	07/06/82	Elahi	23	230	04/07/80
	AL	4	3	6	1	5	3	7	11/30/82	Deutsch <i>et al.</i>	422	56	08/11/80
	AM	4	3	6	6	2	4	1	10/18/88	Tom <i>et al.</i>	435	7	08/07/80
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GC	AO	4	3	9	1	9	0	4	07/05/83	Litman <i>et al.</i>	435	7	04/17/81
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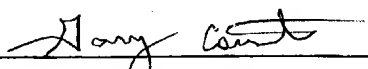
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	AZ	4	6	6	6	8	6	3	05/19/87	Edwards <i>et al.</i>	436	514	02/22/84
	BA	4	6	7	3	6	5	7	06/16/87	Christian	436	501	06/01/84
	BB	4	6	7	8	7	5	7	07/07/87	Rapkin <i>et al.</i>	436	169	04/11/85
	BC	4	6	9	6	7	9	7	09/29/87	Kelton, A.	422	101	04/15/85
	BD	4	7	0	3	0	1	7	12/04/01	Campbell <i>et al.</i>	436	532	02/14/84
	BE	4	7	2	5	4	0	6	02/16/88	Compton <i>et al.</i>	422	58	10/21/85
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	BG	4	7	5	2	4	4	8	06/21/88	Wells <i>et al.</i>	422	56	12/17/86
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	BI	4	8	0	6	4	8	7	02/21/89	Akers <i>et al.</i>	436	93	05/29/87
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GL	BL	4	8	5	5	2	4	0	08/08/89	Rosenstein <i>et al.</i>	436	514	05/13/87
GL	BM	4	8	5	7	4	5	3	08/15/89	Ullman <i>et al.</i>	435	7	04/07/87

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	CZ	5	3	0	8	7	7	5	05/03/94	Donovan <i>et al.</i>	436	518	09/15/92
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↓	DY	5	7	7	0	4	6	0	06/23/98	Pawlak <i>et al.</i>	436	510	06/07/95
GC	DZ	5	8	0	7	7	5	2	09/15/98	Brizgys <i>et al.</i>	436	513	09/11/92
GC	EA	5	8	4	3	6	9	1	12/01/98	Douglas <i>et al.</i>	435	14	12/31/96

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↑	ED	5	8	7	4	2	1	6	02/23/99	Mapes	435	6	02/23/96
	EE	5	8	7	7	0	2	8	03/02/99	Chandler <i>et al.</i>	436	514	03/31/93
	EF	5	9	0	4	8	9	8	05/18/99	Markart	422	61	03/17/98
	EG	5	9	1	6	8	1	5	06/29/99	Lappe	422	56	02/14/97
	EH	5	9	2	2	5	3	3	07/13/99	Vallari <i>et al.</i>	435	5	08/15/97
	EI	5	9	2	2	6	1	5	07/13/99	Nowakowski <i>et al.</i>	436	518	06/02/95
	EJ	5	9	2	9	4	2	2	07/27/99	Lappe	235	462.13	04/04/97
	EK	5	9	3	2	4	3	0	08/03/99	Larka <i>et al.</i>	435	7.32	03/10/98
	EL	5	9	3	9	2	5	2	08/17/99	Lennon <i>et al.</i>	435	4	05/09/97
	EM	5	9	3	9	2	7	2	08/17/99	Buechler <i>et al.</i>	435	7.1	06/11/97
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	EO	5	9	6	5	4	5	8	10/12/99	Kouvonon <i>et al.</i>	436	518	04/09/97
	EP	5	9	7	6	8	9	5	11/02/99	Cipkowski	422	102	03/11/96
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	ER	5	9	8	9	9	2	1	11/23/99	Charlton <i>et al.</i>	436	501	07/02/97
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Ge	EY	6	2	4	8	5	9	8	06/19/01	Bogema	436	518	09/17/98
Re	EZ	6	3	7	2	5	1	5	04/16/02	Casterlin <i>et al.</i>	436	518	04/21/99
B	FA	6	3	7	5	8	9	7	04/23/02	Bachand	422	58	02/14/00
Ge	FB	6	3	7	9	6	2	0	04/30/02	Tydings <i>et al.</i>	422	58	11/16/98
Ge	FC	6	4	0	6	9	2	2	06/18/02	Casterlin <i>et al.</i>	436	518	01/29/01
Ge	FD	6	5	6	5	8	0	8	05/20/03	Hudak <i>et al.</i>	422	58	05/18/01

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Ge	FG	0	2	5	0	1	3	7	06/08/87	EP A2 & B1				
Ge	FH	0	2	8	4	2	3	2	10/30/02	EP A1 & B2				
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